

Resolution n°8-2024-e

Cost Extension for the Project "Long-acting pipeline to establish medicines for malaria, tuberculosis and hepatitis C virus with infrastructure for sustainable translational capacity (LONGEVITY)"

Recalling Unitaid Board Resolution R1-2020-e, which authorized the Executive Director to commit up to US\$ 32,004,569 for the project entitled "Long-acting pipeline to establish medicines for malaria, tuberculosis and hepatitis C virus with infrastructure for sustainable translational capacity" (the "Project") to be implemented by University of Liverpool for a 5-year period;

Noting that in 2020, on the basis of the authorization in Board Resolution R5-2020-e, the Secretariat approved a cost extension of up to US\$ 2,846,649 for the implementation of a Covid-19 output (Output 5) from 1 June 2020 until 31 March 2021, which was later twice extended on the basis of Resolutions R3-2021-e and R23-2021-e, ending on 31 December 2022;

Taking into account the assessment by the PRC and the Secretariat's recommendations with respect to the Project extension proposal submitted by University of Liverpool, the Board authorizes the Executive Director, subject to the availability of funds, to commit additional funding of up to US\$ 7,947,656 for the Project and to extend the duration of funding for the Project up to 31 December 2027, subject to the signature of a formal amendment to the legal agreement for the Project.

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